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Suspected armed robbers yesterday killed the Vice Chairman, Nigeria Union of Journalists (NUJ) Ebonyi State chapter, Comrade Samuel Nweke and wounded 12 others on their way back from the just-concluded

National Conference of the union held in Abeokuta, Ogun State.

They were attacked at Nkalagu in Ishielu Local Government area of the state of the Enugu-Abakaliki Expressway.

The Ebonyi State Correspondent of Vanguard newspaper, Peter Okutu, who drove the NUJ bus for the Abeokuta trip was badly injured.

Nweke left behind his wife, three little kids and father.

The state governor, Dave Umahi, in a statement by his Chief Press Secretary, Emmanuel Uzor, described Nweke's death as tragic and called for full investigation into the circumstances surrounding his demise.